

Great Lakes Fisheries Leadership Institute Michigan's State Meeting (All MI participants attend)

Dates: October - Tuesday 21th / Wednesday 22th

Location: Lansing Center (near the Capitol), Rooms 201-202, Lansing, Michigan

Lodging: Radisson Hotel (across the street from the Lansing Center)

Agenda:

Tuesday, October 21st

7-8:00 a.m. Arrival / Check-in – Donuts and Coffee (1 hr)

[Evaluations – Pre-evaluations for those who are at first GLFLI meeting]

9:00 a.m. Welcome / Introductions (1/2 hour)

9:30 Leadership – Instructor: Lela Vandenberg, MSU Extension (2-3 hrs)
- Approaches to Leadership
- Leadership in the Community
- Roles and Responsibilities of Fisheries Leaders

Noon LUNCH (1 hr)

1:00 p.m. Institutional Arrangements – Instructor: Jennifer Read, Sea Grant (1 ½ hrs)

2:30 p.m. BREAK (15 min)

2:45 p.m. Fisheries Research Panel – including: (1 hr)
- GLERL (Steve Pothoven)
- MSU FW Department/PERM (Dr. Bill Taylor)

3:45 p.m. BREAK (15 min)

4:00 p.m. Agency / “Decision Maker” Panel – including: (1 hr + leading into reception)
- MI DNR (MDNR Fisheries Division)
- NRC (Dr. Paul Eisele, Natural Resources Commission)
- MI DEQ (Ken DeBeaussaert, Director of the Office of the Great Lakes)

5-9 p.m. Dinner and Reception (ALL SPEAKERS INVITED TO STAY AND MEET
WITH GLFLI PARTICIPANTS)

Wednesday, October 22nd

- NGO's (MCTU, MSSFA, MCBA, MUCC, etc.)
- Information & Resources (Sea Grant, Agencies)
- Youth Programs (Project Fish, Sea Grant, etc.)

10:30 a.m. Legislative Process – Instructor: Dana Debel, Advisor to Governor (1/2 – 1 hr)
Dennis Knapp, MDNR Legislative Liaison

Noon Lunch

p.m.

- Meetings with Legislators as arranged
- Informal tour of Capitol Building / downtown Lansing
- Visiting House of Representatives in Action!